

Johnston, J.B.

December 17, 1900

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[Handwritten coin list.]

from J. B. Johnston 32 Lake St

Chicago DEC 17 1900

G. A. & H. Chapman

Dr Sirs: I send to day by  
Ex prepaid the following coins and books  
for sale by auction during January

Greek Copper

1 Syracuse Head of Artemis  
2 do Hiero II

3 Bruttium Helmeted Head

4 Athens Pallas and Owl

Greek Silver

5 Lysimachus Tetradrachm

6 Syracuse do

7 Syria Antiochus VIII do

8 Tyre do

9 Macedonia Philip III do

10 Syrrachium Cow and calf do

11 Gaul do

12 Alexander III Drachm

13 Corinth Didrachm

14 Crotona do

15 Tarentum do





- 16 Velia didrachm  
 17 Cnidus drachm

## Roman

- ✓ 18 Marc Antony (Bust) denarius  
 ✓ 19 do Legionary do  
 ✓ 20 Consular - Cassia } denarii  
           Calpurnia, Tituria } 5 pes  
           Sampulus and Unknown } bunch for sell  
   separately  
 21 Roman Third Brass 10 pes  
 ✓ 22 Maximinus First Brass  
 ✓ 23 Lucius Verus do do }  
           Sixteenth century reproduction }

## U S Cents

- ✓ 24 1802 fine or V fine  
 ✓ 25 1803  
 ✓ 26 1804  
 ✓ 27 1805  
 ✓ 28 1809  
 ✓ 29 1814  
 ✓ 30 1817  
 ✓ 31 1818  
 ✓ 32 1820  
 ✓ 33 1821  
 ✓ 34 1826  
 ✓ 35 1837 (2 pes)





- 36 Washington Cent 1783 Washington and Ind  
 ✓ 37 Two cents 1864 to 1872 9 pcs

### US & Foreign Silver

- ✓ 38 Proof S. & (U.S.) 1873  
 in Morocco Pink lined Case 10 pcs  
 ✓ 39 Trade Dollar ~~XXXX~~ 1873 Unc  
 ✓ 40 Genoa 1691 Triple crown fine  
 size?  
 ✓ 41 Saxony 1595 Three Brothers brown  
 ✓ 42 Zealand 1602 Daalder  
 ✓ 43 Lucca <sup>1750</sup> St Martin brown  
 ✓ 44 Lombardy 1848 5 Lire  
 ✓ 45 England Geo II Shilling (1) Sixpence (2) 3/4  
 ✓ 46 Japan R<sup>d</sup> Thick ("bean shaped")  
 ✓ 47 Madras Quarter Pagoda  
 ✓ 48 India Rupee, native characters  
 ✓ 49 Pondicherry (heather) 4 pcs  
 ✓ 50

### Copper

- ✓ 50 Barbadoes 1788 Negro H<sup>d</sup> and Pine Apple Penny  
 ✓ 51 British N Borneo - cent  
 ✓ 52 Japan (Loo Choo Islands) size?  
 ✓ 53 Isle of Man 1733 Penny and Half Penny 2 pcs  
 ✓ 54 Sweden Baron de Goertz dalers 9 pcs

Johnston

X

III

65

95



- ✓ 55 Westphalia Jerome Napoleon 7 pes
- ✓ 56 France <sup>1816</sup> Napoleon II 1-3-5-10 centimes 4 pes
- ✓ 57 Confederate 50 C paper 5 u

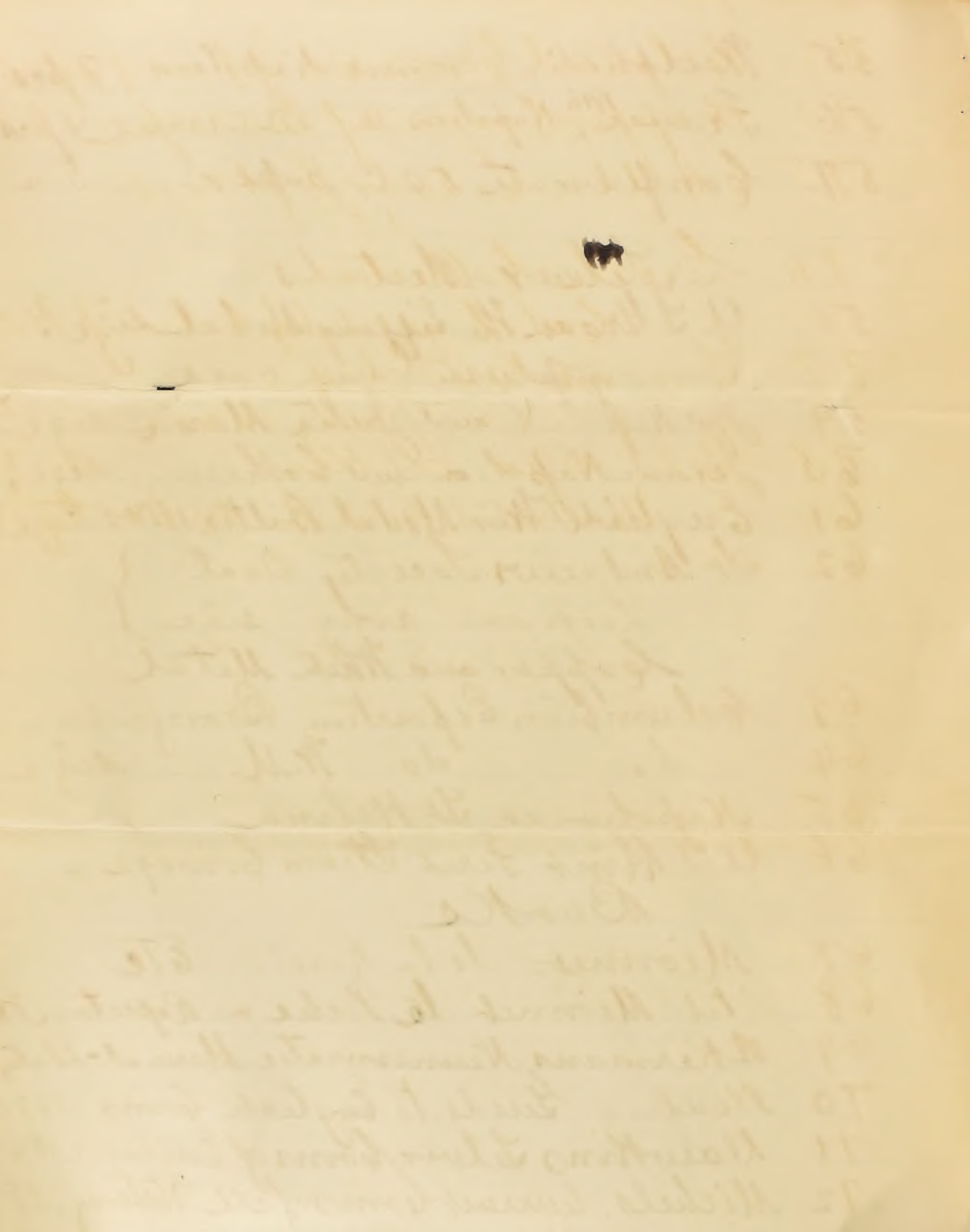
## Silver Medals

- ✓ 58 U S Grant - The Tiffany Medal - size?  
in plush lined case
- ✓ 59 Jas Napoleon and Julia Maria size?
- ✓ 60 Jerome Napoleon and Catherine size?
- ✓ 61 English War Medal Baltic 1854-5 size?
- ✓ 62 St Andrews Society Oval }  
Loop and ring size }  
Copper and White Metal
- ✓ 63 Columbian Exposition Bronze size
- ✓ 64 do do W.M. Gilt size
- ✓ 65 Napoleon at St Helena "
- ✓ 66 U S Mint First Steam Coinage "

## Books

- ✓ 67 Mionnet de la Rarete ETC
- ✓ 68 Petit Mionnet de Poche ou Repertoire ETC
- ✓ 69 Skermans Numismatic Manual - Plates
- ✓ 70 Denfreys Guide to English Coins 1870
- ✓ 71 Hawkins Silver Coins of England 1841
- ✓ 72 Michels, Current Coins of all Nations 1880





- ✓ 73 Colonial Coins and Tokens of England
- ✓ 74 Copper Coins of Europe
- ✓ 75 Allan Silver Cabinet  
1870 - 8 Plates
- ✓ 76 Greau Collection  
Catalogued by Cohen 7 Plates
- ✓ 77 Youngs Catalog  
Nine party in one
- ✓ 78 Geld aller Völker  
Illustrated Coins (in 14 party)





Johnston, J.B.

April 30, 1901

4<sup>th</sup> mo. 30<sup>th</sup> 1901

Messrs. S. H. & N. Chapman,

1348 PINE STREET, PHILADELPHIA.

Please execute the following bids at a sale to be held in *Philadelphia* on the *3+4<sup>th</sup> Prox*

The bids are at so much each piece.

Priced Catalogues, are cash with order.

NO.	BID	REMARKS	NO.	BID	REMARKS
3			580	1 25	No Bid
(or No 8)	1 25		620	1	1148
5	3 50		735	3 0	To 1154
(or No 10)			742	7 5	1160
17	50		743	7 5	To 1171
33 or 146		Surri	752	7 5	1195
or 48 or 50	10 —	any one only ✓	761	0 0	
38			766	7 5	1208
or 41 or 47	1	First Brans	829		600
62	50		to 832	2 5	1223
66 ✓ 1			853		1224
135			854	2 5	or 1239
or 136	50		881	2 5	1248
143			908	3 5	or 1249
or 144	50		918	2 5	1261
202			932	2 5	or 1262
To 205	50	any one only	948	2 5	1277
214	1 10		949	2 5	1278
380	50		950	2 5	1291
383	0 6		956	3 5	1292
385	3 0		979	1 00	or 1292
387	0 3		986	50	1302
389 ✓	0 2		987	2 5	
434 ✓ 2	7 5		1041	1 60	
440	0 2		or 1042	1 60	
451	4 50		or 1044	1 60	
471			or 1045	1 60	
To 478	1 50	any one only	1047	1 60	
486	50		or 1048 or 49	1 60	
494	50		1058	1 60	
496	50		or 1059 or 60	1 60	
497	50		1061	1 60	
518	60		or 1062 or 63	1 60	
556	10		1065	1 60	
			or 1067	1 60	
			1071	1 60	
			1075	1 60	any one
			1080	2 00	any one
			1082		
			1085		
			1097	1 75	any one
			1103	3 75	
			1106	3 75	
			1108	3 75	any one
			1132		

Yours Respectfully, J B Johnston  
32 Lake St Chicago









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*J N V Chapman*

*Philadelphia, Pa.*

*1348 Pine St*

Johnston, J.B.

May 18, 1901



No 316 Hawkins Silver coins of England  
fine copy 65¢ Sent there some mistake here?  
No. 316 Edition

Chicago May 18 1901

J H Chapman

Dr Sir: I have  
your bill May 3 and accompanying  
coins - I return Nos

486-496 and 832 = 1.25

I will keep the others sent  
on approval, but I want a  
reduction on No 1123\* of .25

There is an error in addition of .20

Total 1.70

from 2866  
170

leaves \$ 26.96

If you can send me what  
may be due <sup>by</sup> next Saturday  
or even <sup>by</sup> Monday 27<sup>th</sup> <sup>next</sup> you  
will confer a favor

Yours truly

\* If not satisfactory  
I will return it  
of course

J B Johnston  
32 Lake St



Johnston JB  
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81.86

20.46

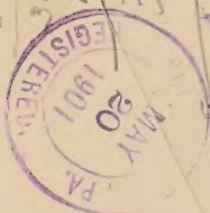
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32.19



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15.51

28.46

27.21



From J B Johnston  
32 Lake St Chicago

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MAY 18 1901

Masonic Temple Station  
CHICAGO, ILL.



J N & A Chapman

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Philadelphia, Pa.

1348 Pine St

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Johnston, J.-B.

November 2, 1901

Chicago

NOV 2 1901

no. 190

Messrs. S. H. &amp; H. Chapman,

1348 PINE STREET, PHILADELPHIA.

Please execute the following bids at a sale to be held in **Philadelphia, Pa.** on the **6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup>** inst.

The bids are at so much each piece.

Priced Catalogues are cash with order.

NO.	BID	REMARKS	NO.	BID	REMARKS
37	75	✓	551	30	
59	60	✓	563		
85 } any			or 4		
10 } one			or 5		
103 } only	5-50	102 ✓	or 7		
129 } any		the first one to fall	or 8		
10 } one			or 9		
164 } only	3-75		642 } any	4 <sup>00</sup>	
166 } any			10646 } one		
10 } one			653	1.00	
176 } only	3 <sup>00</sup>		709 )		
237 } any			or 710 )	50	
247 } one			748	12	✓
255 } any			761	1.00	
10 } one			or 825 )		
283 } only	160		826 )	2 25	
287 } any			828	30	
10 } one			829	30	
299 } only	160		833	30	
454 }			834	30	
or 455 }	.65		835	30	
456 }			836	30	
or 457 }	.65		847	50	
459	.65		865	1	
498 }			873	1	
or 500 }	.75		1097	2 50	
or 502 }			1295	2 25	✓
549	.30		1296	2 25	✓
additional					
1169 } any					
101173 } one	.35				
1196 } either	.30				
or 1197 }					

Priced catalog 75<sup>d</sup>  
 Yours Respectfully, J. B. Johnston  
 32 Lake St





Johnston, W.B.

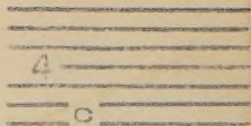
Bids 11/6 + 7/04

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Sent 11/13/04.





*J H & H Chapman*  
*Philadelphia, Pa.*

*1348 Pine St*

Johnston, J.B.

November 23, 1901



Chicago NOV 23 1901

W H Chapman

Dr Sirs I inclose  
check for last purchase  
(\$ 14 87)

'Priced Catalog' has not  
been received May you sent  
it?

Yours truly

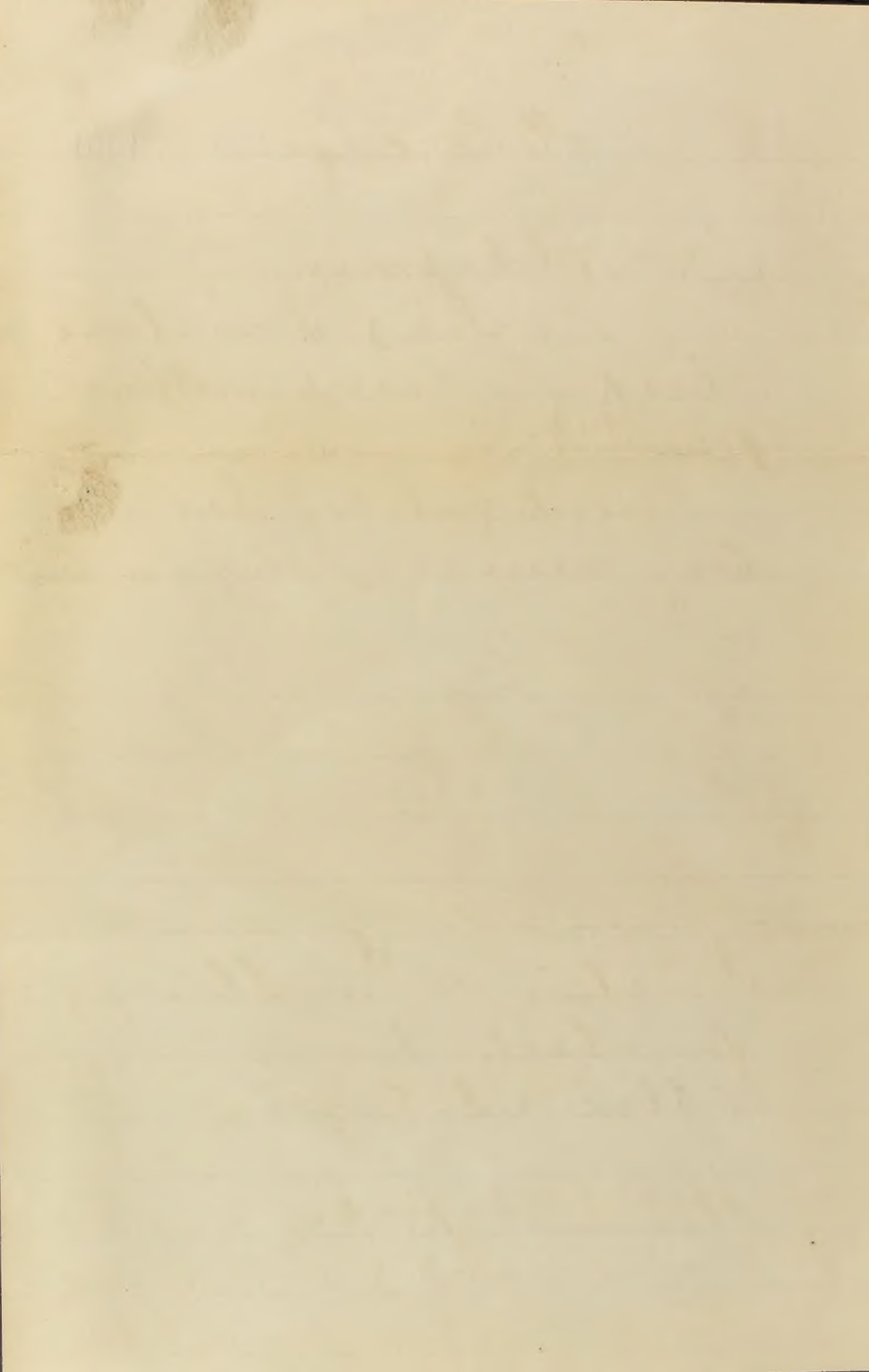
J B Johnston  
32 Lake St

1487.50  
150.00

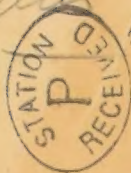
I inclose 15 \$ in Stamps  
for which I want

1 Unc' (red) bent Ea { 1885  
1891  
1892

How much for 1898, <sup>Silver + Minor</sup> Proof Set?



Johnston  
1502



*11/26/01*





J H & H Chapman

Philadelphia, Pa.

1348 Pine St



Johnston, J.B.

June 16, 1902

Chicago June 16<sup>mo</sup> 1902

Messrs. S. H. & H. Chapman,

1348 PINE STREET, PHILADELPHIA.

Please execute the following bids at a sale to be held in Philad'a on the 19<sup>th</sup> of June

The bids are at so much each piece.

Priced Catalogues are cash with order.

NO.	BID	REMARKS	NO.	BID	REMARKS
47	150		555	600	
68	✓ 150		559	✓ 100	
77	150		560	150	
121	50		563	1	
141	✓ 75		564	150	
145	150		565	150	
231	275		574	175	
240	275		581	75	
267	✓ 165		584	✓ 75	
272	165		591	✓ 75	
297	165 or 298		608	50	
372	✓ 80		611	50	
<del>400</del>	<del>400</del>		613	25	
416	60		615	12	
465	60		616	25	
531	✓ 12 1/2		617	✓ 35	
536	05		619	1	
532	08		620	75	
539	450		644	75	
540	200 or 541		648	100	
542	75		771	35	
549	150		772	25	

Yours Respectfully

J B Johnston  
32 Lake St

100

101

102

J. L. Armstrong B.

Bid on Sale

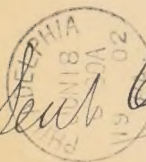
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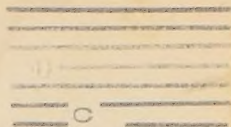


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Sent 6/23/02







W H Chapman  
Philadelphia  
Pa  
1348 Pine St

Johnston, J-B.

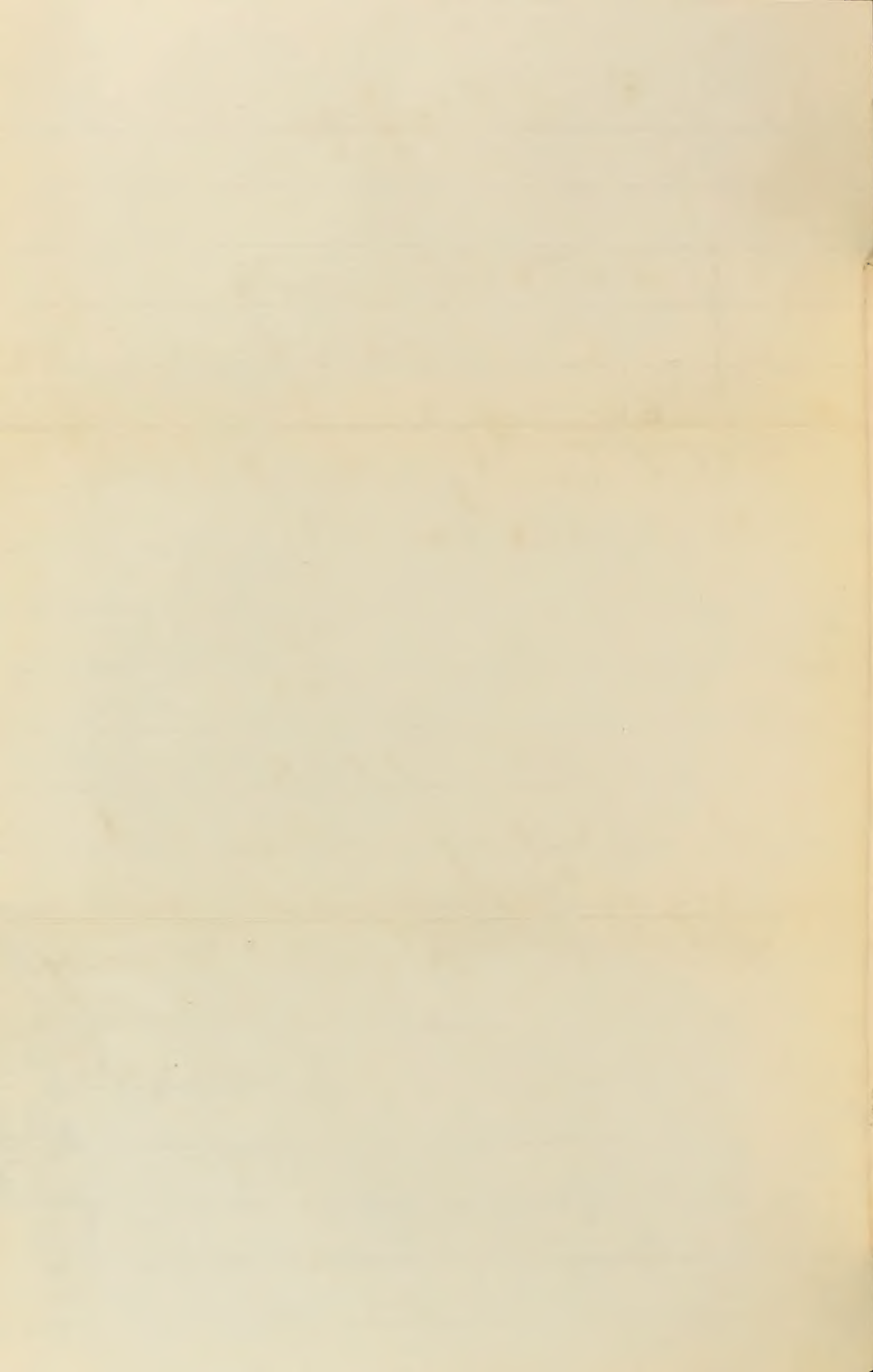
December 5, 1902

Chicago DEC 5 1902

J H & H Chapman  
Dr Sirs: If at 3<sup>ea</sup>  
you may send me of  
U. S. Centy (Mint State)  
10 pieces ea 1895-  
                                  ✓ '97  
                                  ✓ '98  
                                  ✓ '99  
                                  ✓ 1900

I will pay postage and  
registry  
Yours Truly  
J B Johnston  
32 Lake St

50 @ 3<sup>ea</sup> = 150  
Postage 4<sup>ea</sup> clearing.





Johnston JB

order

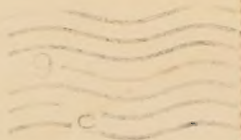
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J N & N Chapman

*Philadelphia, Pa.*

1348 Pine St

Johnston, J.B.

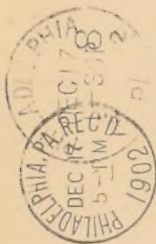
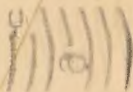
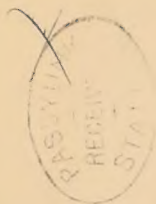
December 13, 1902

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Houston

1.65 Cash

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L A & H Chapman  
Philadelphia, Pa.

1348 Pine St

Johnston, J.B.

December 24, 1902

Chicago

DEC 24 1902

J H & N Chapman

Dr Sirs: Id @ 6 1/4 d  
ea is \$1.50 for the lot  
you may send me the  
following U.S. Centy Une'

2 Ea 1859-60-61-68-69  
1870-71-72-75-76  
1883  
1892

(24 pcs in all)

I will pay postage and  
registry

Yours Truly  
J B Johnston  
32 Lake St

100 08 120



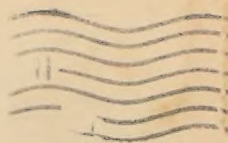
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Grove

12/16/02

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J N V N Chapman

1348 Pine St

Philadelphia, Pa.

Johnston, J.B.

April 13, 1903

Chicago 4<sup>th</sup> mo 13<sup>th</sup> 1903

Messrs. S. H. & N. Chapman,

1348 PINE STREET, PHILADELPHIA.

Please execute the following bids at a sale to be held in Philadelphia on the 16<sup>th</sup> ✓

The bids are at so much each piece.

Priced Catalogues are cash with order

NO.	BID	REMARKS	NO.	BID	REMARKS
1	1 25		874	06	
3	1 25		1067	25	
5	1 25		1282 ✓	13	(or 1283)
7 ✓	25		1377 ✓	40	
45	10				
127	8				
140	50				
148*	50*	or 149 or 166 or 167 or 168 ✓			
183	60				
184 } to 188 }	60	any one only			
189 } to 192 }	60	any one only			
204	25				
219	75				
245	25				
251	25				
625	1 00				
669	50				
785* ✓	75*	or 839			
793	75				
829 ✓	1 00				
847	75				

Yours Respectfully, J B Johnston  
32 Lake St





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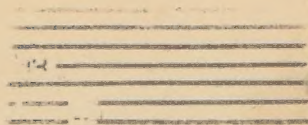
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J N A N Chapman

1348 Pine St

Philadelphia, Pa.  
Philadelphia, Pa.

Johnston, J.B.

June 15, 1903

Chicago

JUN 15 1903

6 mo. 15 1903.

Messrs. S. H. &amp; H. Chapman,

1348 PINE STREET, PHILADELPHIA.

Please execute the following bids at a sale to be  
held in Philadu on the 17-18-19<sup>th</sup>

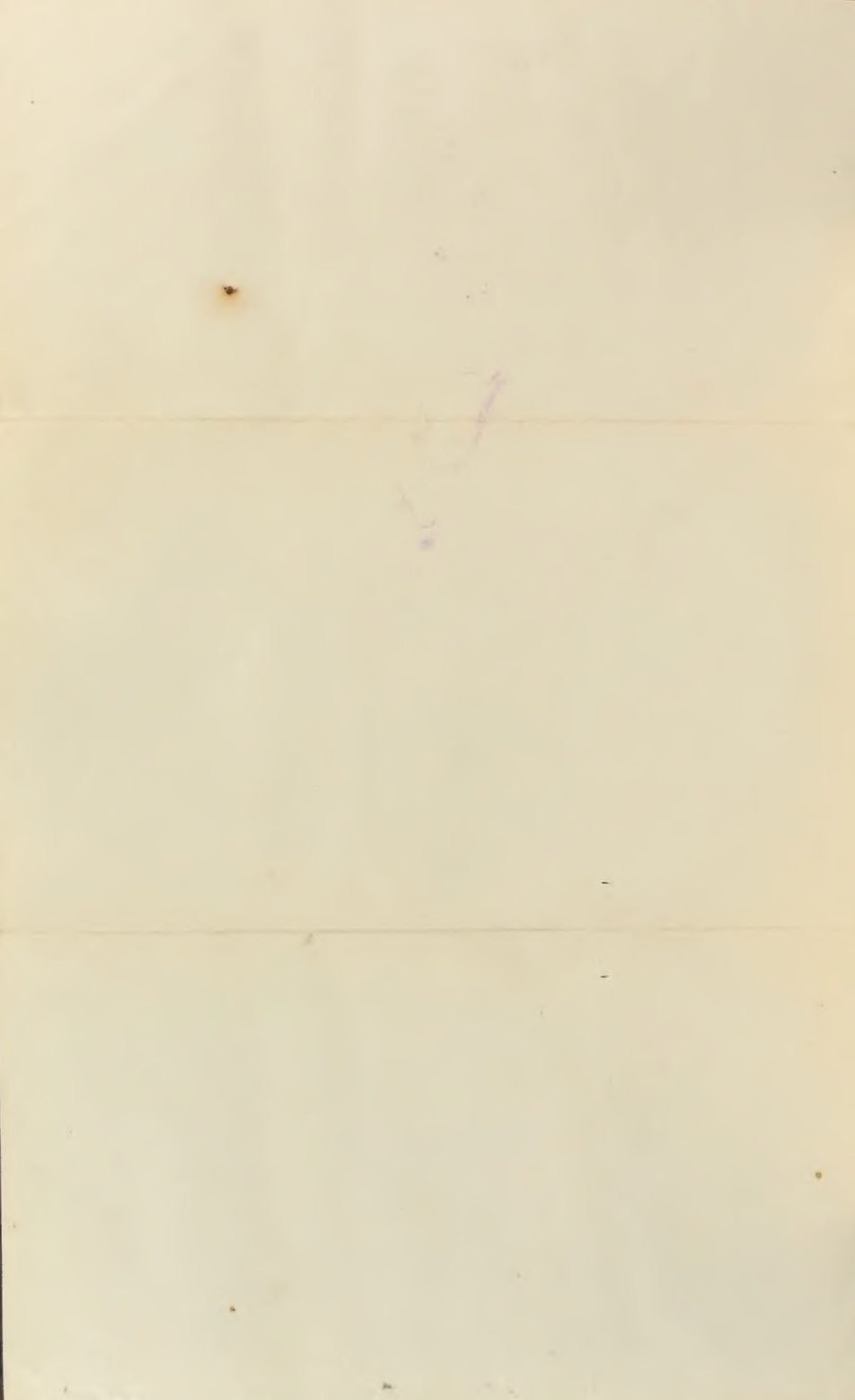
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Priced Catalogues are cash with order.

NO.	BID	REMARKS	NO.	BID	REMARKS
1		379 or 380			
or 2	150	or 381	150		
3		444	40		
or 4	375	491	150		
12	✓ 50	669 or 670			
18		or 671	150		
or 24	✓	803 or 804	325		
or 31	10 —	963	1		
39	✓ 1	1068	450		
46	110	1133	150		
61		1192 or 1193 or 1194	✓ 15		
or 63	110	1206	1		
or 65		1220	10		
87	110	1262	50		
105	120	1313	✗ \$1 <sup>00</sup>		
117	150	1335	2		
145	✓ 700	1354	150		
or 146	400	1381	150		
178	35	1409	✓ 1		
184		1625	50		
or 185	150				
239	150				
289	2				

Yours Respectfully,

J. B. Johnston  
State St., N.E. Cor. So. Water





W.B. Johnston

9.80

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L V V Chapman  
Philadelphia  
Pa  
1348 Pine St

Johnston, J.B.

November 18, 1903

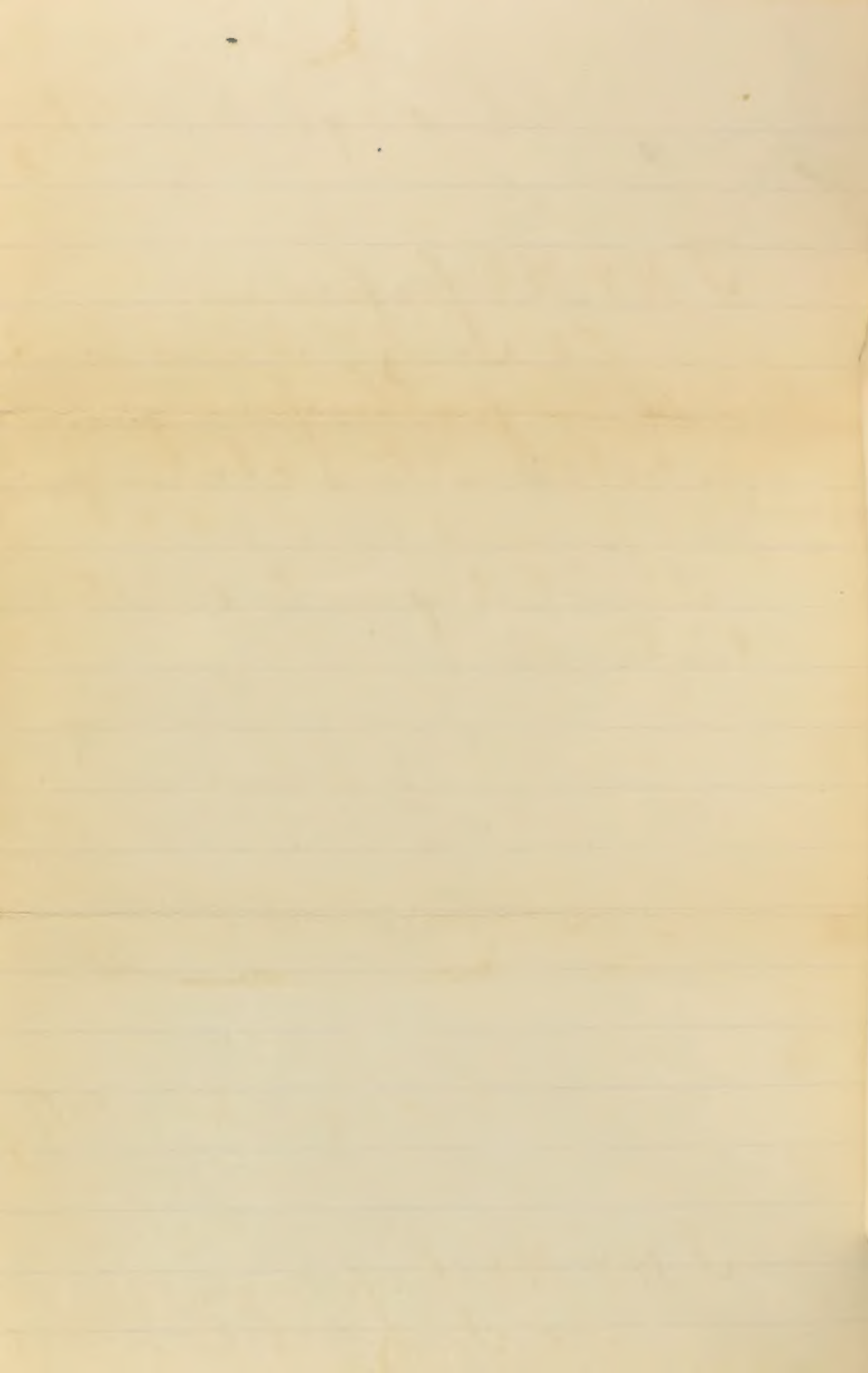
Chicago Nov 1870

J N & N Chapman

Dr Sirs; I have heard  
nothing farther from you  
in relation to a claim you  
recently  
put forward for \$843

I invited you to substan-  
tiate it

Yours Truly  
J B Johnston  
90 N B & C State St Bridge





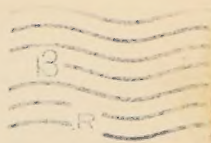
J. B. Johnston

Ans

11/20/13

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J. H. & N. Chapman  
Philadelphia  
Pa

1348 Pine St

Johnston, J.B.

November 23, 1903

Chicago Nov 23/03

L H & N Chapman

Dr Sirs; I have your letter  
Nov 20 - Yes, I sent you check on N.Y.  
June 15 - Your bill <sup>June 3</sup> reads as follows

N <sup>o</sup> 1	110
12	70
73	60
220	65
327	150
336	299

Com <sup>75</sup> Package <sup>26</sup>	754
	101
	855

("Lut Penders") 348<sup>n</sup> On Approval "accepted" 1.25  
check (N<sup>o</sup> 206494) \$ 9.80

As to coins on approval, I am on the lookout  
for a 1799 Cent - "Very fair" or "Good" at  
moderate price, but I am not quite  
ready to buy yet - after a few weeks I  
expect to be better able to spare the  
money and you may hear from me ac-  
cordingly

Yours Truly

~~As~~ I don't want any War Medals  
or decorations

J B Johnston  
C/o N B & Co State St Bridge



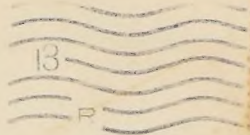


Johnston J B  
Oct 17/93 9.80 Cash  
note address

1734 1/2  
9.80  
7744 1/2

Ans 11/25/93





J N H Chapman  
Philadelphia  
Pa

1348 Pine St

Johnston, J.D.

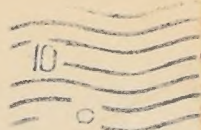
February 17, 1904

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Term 5 Cash  
2/17/94  
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J H & N Chapman  
Philadelphia  
Pa

1348 Pine St



Johnston, J.B.

April 23, 1904

Chicago 4<sup>th</sup> mo 23<sup>rd</sup> 1904

Messrs. J. H. & N. Chapman,

1348 PINE STREET, PHILADELPHIA.

Please execute the following bids at a sale to be held  
in Philadelphia on the 27<sup>th</sup> 28<sup>th</sup> + 29<sup>th</sup> inst.

The bids are at so much each piece.

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NO.	BID	REMARKS	NO.	BID	REMARKS
8 to 12	any one 6 <sup>00</sup>		655	any one 1 <sup>80</sup>	
14 to 17			To 669		668 ✓
29 to 37			921	65	
13.38	any one 4 <sup>50</sup>	1236	1233	4 50	or 1234 12-15
39 41		to 1245	1269	3 75	any one 2 <sup>00</sup>
42 43			1278	3	20
44 45			1280	3	7
46 48			1294	1 50	7
40 42 a	any one 3 <sup>75</sup>		1401	any one 1 <sup>50</sup>	
47			To 1404		✓
pp 10 to 12	Any "Fine" Rosa Americana Piccol	1413	1 50	5	4-6
pp 25 to 31	Any "Fine" born-bent \$1 <sup>00</sup>	1474	6 00	No 1663 1 <sup>50</sup>	10-12
pp 33 to 38	Any "Fine" N.p. bent \$1 <sup>00</sup>	1600	2 25	1694 4 <sup>50</sup>	10-12
No		1602	2 25	1737 2 <sup>50</sup>	
166	2 00	1603	4	1770 2 <sup>50</sup>	
199	1 50	1604	4	1838 1 <sup>50</sup>	
204	1 50	1608	1 50	1839 1 <sup>50</sup>	
or 215		1609	2 25	1821 1 <sup>50</sup>	
350	any one 1 <sup>50</sup>	1610	2 25		
to 356		1612	2 25		
497	any one .75	1616	3 50		
to 504		1617	3 50	6-8	
637	any one 1 <sup>80</sup>	1620	2 25		
to 652		1621	1 25	✓	

Yours Respectfully, J. B. Johnston  
No 1 State St. Phila. Pa.



Whiston J.B.  
Bid on Dale  
Mills  
4/27/29/2

Dial &

✓  
Lent

4/30/92  
4/25

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J N & N Chapman  
Philadelphia  
1348 Pine St Pa

Johnston, J.B.

July 4, 1904



Chicago Ill 7<sup>th</sup> mo 4<sup>th</sup> 1904

Messrs. J. H. & H. Chapman,

1348 PINE STREET, PHILADELPHIA.

Please execute the following bids at a sale to be held  
in Philadelphia on the 7 & 8<sup>th</sup> inst

The bids are at so much each piece.

Priced Catalogues are cash with order.

NO.	BID	REMARKS	NO.	BID	REMARKS
2	75		130	15	N <sup>o</sup> Bid
3	175		132	60	1151 .10
6	175		162	60	1152 } .20
14	350		164	2 00	or 1153 }
15	350		166	2	1159 10
21	8		167	1	1160 10
28	350		<del>168</del>		1161 25-
29	350		169	1	1162 75
36	1		170	1	1163 35
38 or 39	1		196	30	1182 150
51	50		199	30	
54	50		200	20	
65	6		206		
68	3		or 207	50	
70	3		220	50	
71	2 25		285	4 00	
72 or 76	50		296	4 00	
85	3		410		
94	6		or 416	75	
105	2		612	2 25	
106	1		621		
117	2		or 622	2 75	
124	2		634	8 00	
120	50		1028		
122	50		or 1029	2 50	
			or 1030		
			1035	2 50	
			1092	60	
			1094	60	
			1096	60	
			1099	60	

Yours Respectfully

J B Johnston  
1 State St C/o HSB & Co



Johnston B.  
Bid  
Barker

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J N V N Chapman  
Philadelphia  
1348 Pine St Pa

Johnston, J.B.

July 16, 1904

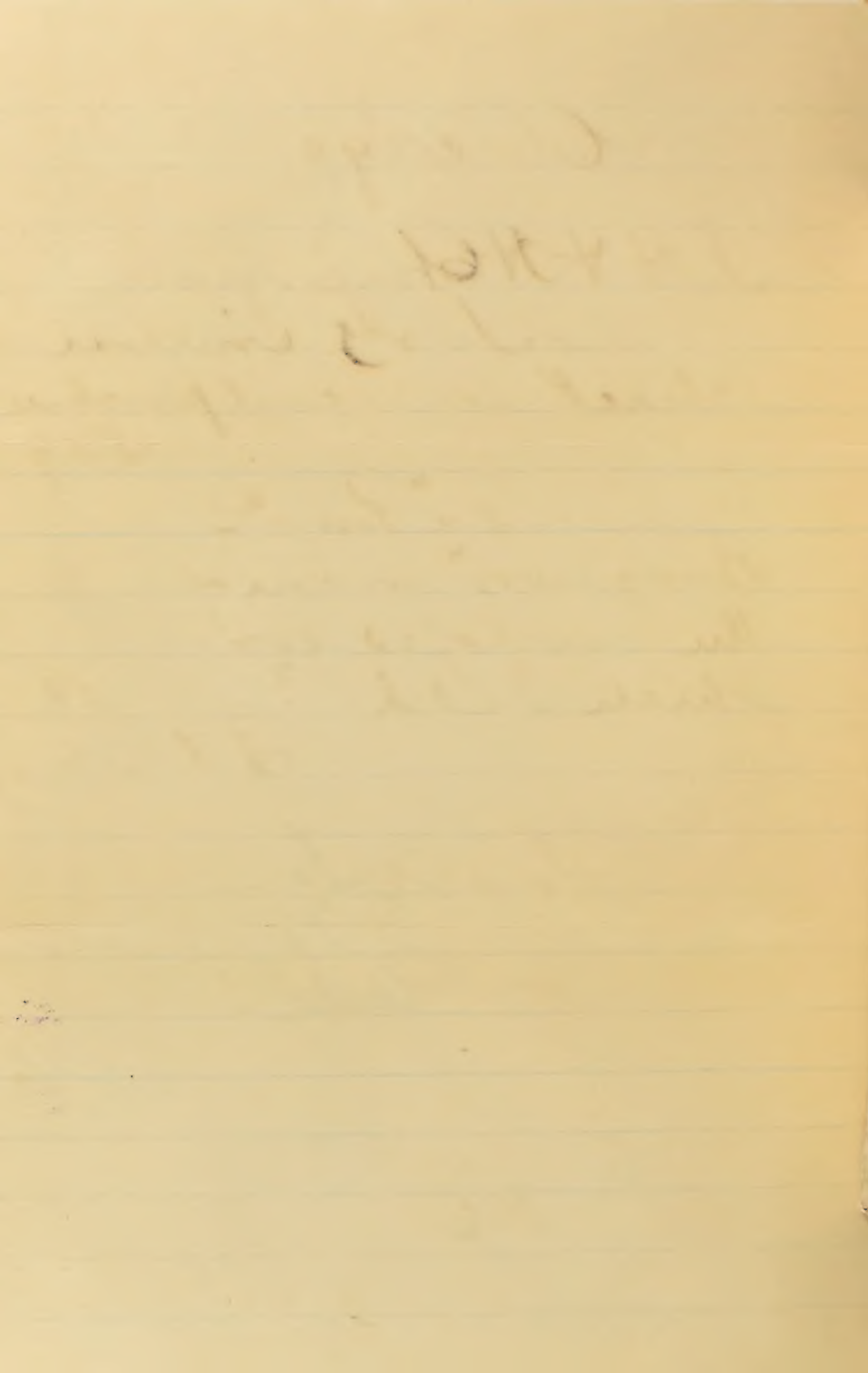
Chicago JUL 16 1904

I H H Chapman  
Dr Living Inelose  
Check for recent purchase  
15.89

There was a "Penn-  
Bington" in one of  
the envelopes for  
which I add ? .11  
\$ 16.00

Yours Truly  
J B Johnston  
No 1 State St & N B  
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Johnston J.B.  
- 16. - Cash

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ack Bill was 15.898  
add for freight 11  
16. -





L N & H Chapman  
Philadelphia  
1348 Pine St Pa

Johnston, J.B.

August 6, 1904

Chicago AUG 6 1904

J H V Chapman

Dr Sirs;

How many  
of these <sup>U.S.</sup> bentz (Uncirculated)  
have you in Stock. I want  
to make you an offer for  
what I need

Planned 1859-60-61-66-68-69  
Rock 2 @ 10 2 @ 10 2 @ 20 2 @ 20 3 @ 20 2 @ 25 pcs

1870-71-74-75-76-77  
3 @ 25 5 @ 75 3 @ 20 5 @ 25 5 @ 25 4 1-150

1872

2 @ 20

on 164-12-1

on 1-1-1

on 60c

Proofs (bentz)

1 Ca 1857-8-9-1861

1 " 1867-8-9-1879

1 " 1871-1898

Yours Truly

J B Johnston  
No 1 State St





Johnson, J.B.

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J H & N Chapman  
Philadelphia  
1348 Pine St Pa

Johnston, J.B.

August 9, 1904

August 10, 1904

[Coin List from the Chapmans, only.]

IMPORTERS OF  
AND  
DEALERS IN  
ANCIENT  
GREEK AND ROMAN  
COINS,  
ENGLISH,  
CONTINENTAL AND  
ORIENTAL  
COINS AND MEDALS.

# S. H. & H. CHAPMAN

## Numismatists

NO. 1348 PINE STREET  
PHILADELPHIA

DEALERS IN  
AMERICAN  
COINS AND MEDALS,  
ESPECIALLY  
IN FINE AND RARE  
SPECIMENS,  
PAPER MONEY,  
NUMISMATIC BOOKS.  
COLLECTIONS  
CATALOGUED FOR  
SALE BY AUCTION

REGISTERED CABLE ADDRESS: "CHAPMAN, PHILADELPHIA."

8th month 9th, 1904

Mr. J. B. Johnston,

Dear Sir:-

Your letter of the 6th received. We are sending you h  
herewith the following cents on approval. Some of these pieces are all  
we have of the date and many of them are really very rare in this condition

1	1859, R Laurel Wreath,	2	@	10¢	each	✓ 20 (2)	.20
2	1859, R Oak Wreath,	2	@	75¢	"		1.50 x
3	1860,	2	@	10¢	"	✓ 20 (2)	.20
4	1861,	2	@	20¢	"	20 (1)	.40
5	1866,	2	@	50¢	"		1.
6	1868,	3	@	20¢	"	20 (1)	.60
7	1869,	2	@	25¢	"	25 (1)	.50
8	1870,	3	@	25¢	"	25 (1)	.75
9	1871,	3	@	75¢	"		2.25
10	1872,	2	@	20¢	"	20 (1)	.40
11	1874,	3	@	20¢	"		.60 x
12	1875,	5	@	25¢	"	25 (1)	1.25
13	1876,	5	@	25¢	"	25 (1)	1.25
14	1877,	1					1.50 12 40
15	1857, proof,						1.50
16	1858, proof, large letters,						1.25
17	1858, proof, small letters,						1.
18	1859, proof,						.75
19	1861, proof,						1.
20	1867, proof,						.40
21	1868, proof,						.40
22	1869, proof,						.40
22	1871, proof,						1.
23	1898, proof,						.10
							.22

Postage

\$ 330

\$ 20.42





Johnston, J.B.

August 14, 1904



Chicago Aug 14 1901

J H & N Chapman

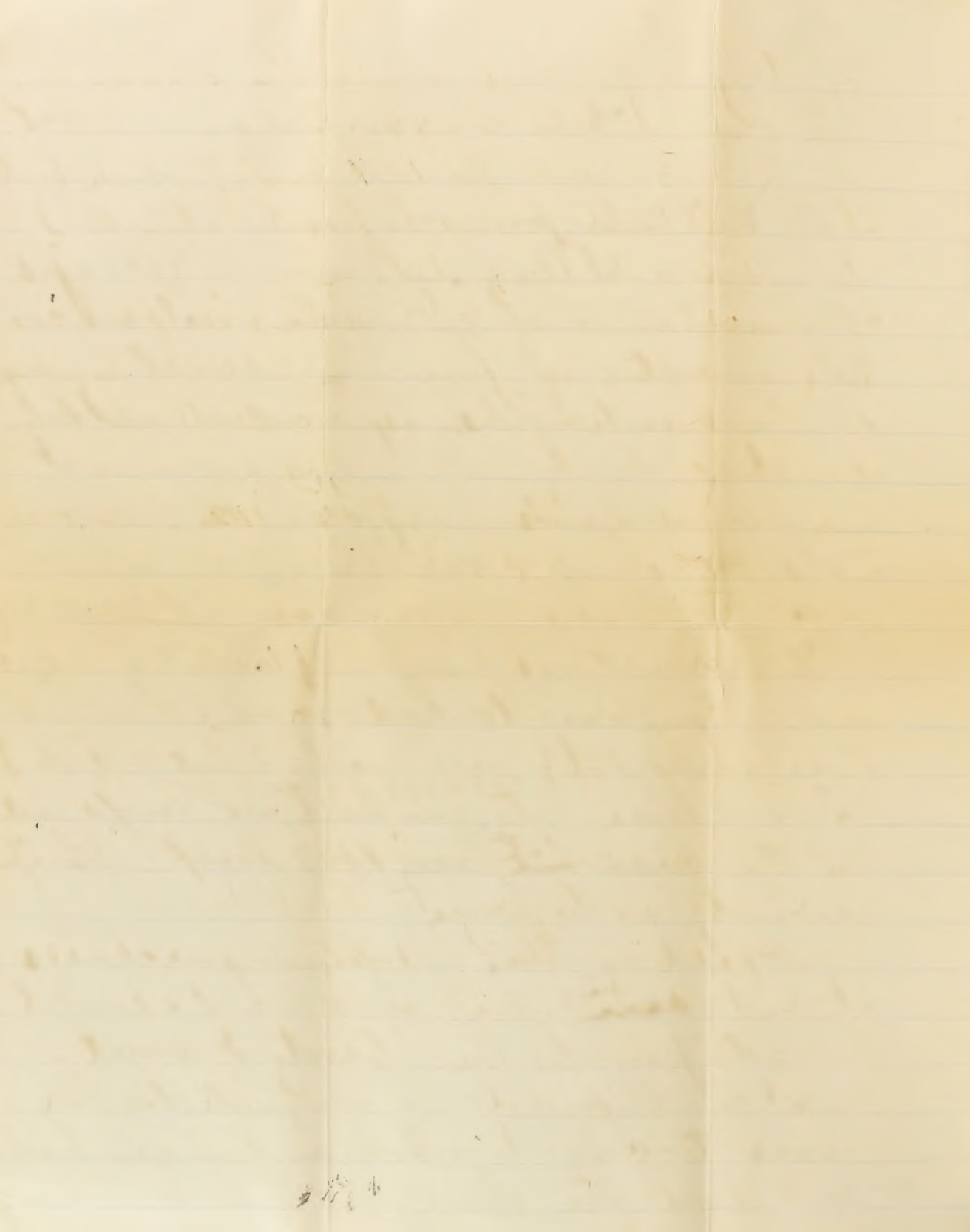
Dr Sirs; I am in receipt  
of your letter of 9<sup>th</sup> with inclosed con-  
firmment. I have been diverting my  
self at intervals <sup>for 2 years or two</sup> by making up sets  
of Unc benty. With this purpose I  
bought at Law's July sale the following  
Lots Nos 1, <sup>20¢</sup> Nos 222-3-6-7-8  
<sup>3¢</sup> <sup>4½¢</sup> <sup>2¢</sup> <sup>2¢</sup>  
Nos 230 231 232 233

You doubtless have this catalog (July 21<sup>st</sup>)  
and if you care to do so, can see what  
these early dates cost me (all but 1871-76)

Two of these lots <sup>23 + 231</sup> you will <sup>see</sup> are Proofs, and  
in the first ~~one~~ <sup>one</sup> is an 1877 Proof - which  
accounts for the price

Based on this and former purchases  
I had ~~some~~ <sup>an</sup> idea of what I should  
have to pay for the benty I want.

I am afraid we are quite too far  
apart to come together, and if you had  
not sent the coins I should not think





of trying - but under the circumstances,  
it can do no harm -

Lot 230 with the 1874 cent, which had  
been mislaid, came to hand later, so I  
do not need this date -

I assume that your prices are for single  
lots and that if you would sell the whole  
or the greater part at a considerable re-  
duction -

Leaving out then Lot 5	<sup>150</sup> 2 - 11 <sup>60</sup>	2.10
<sup>550</sup>	<sup>1,000</sup>	
15 to 19 and Lot 22		650
quite too high		<u>\$ 8.60</u>

We have 2020  
860 11.60

I will take what remains

at  $\frac{1}{3}$  off 387  
\$ 7.73

and return the ~~remainder~~ <sup>others</sup> postpaid

I am not trying to "beat down" - I  
am offering the limit of value to  
me and will Yours Truly  
Cheerfully return J B Johnston  
the goods if you don't No 1 State St  
see your way clear to accept.



Thurston B

my

8/16/04  
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J. A. & N. Chapman  
Philadelphia  
Pa  
1348 Pine St



Johnston, J.B.

August 20, 1904

[2 letters, 1 date, 1 envelope]

[2nd letters originally had no  
envelope.]

Chicago Aug 20/04

J H & H Chapman

Dr Sirs I have your letter of 16th - I have selected from your consignment 15 pcs amounting to \$ 3.30 and return herewith the remainder with Invoice, on which you will find my selections noted.

If by "second quality" (Uncirculated) you mean those discolored by time or careless handling but otherwise perfect you <sup>may</sup> send what you have of the following (to the limit fixed of course) i.e.

price (about)	.05	.05	.05	.05	.10	.10	.10	.10	.25	.10	.10	.10
cents -	1857	59	60	61	66	68	69	1870	71	72	75	76
No of pcs	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	10	5	10	10

The prices annexed are about what I think I should pay for such pieces - but if they are badly spotted (don't send many of these) the price would be less - Make prices for each date <sup>so that if may select</sup> and <sup>make</sup> ~~pay~~ in addition, a lump price for the lot - (I don't like to return goods.)

Do not send any that are corroded but otherwise make price right and we can trade

Yours Truly J B Johnston 801 State St





Chicago AUG 20 1904

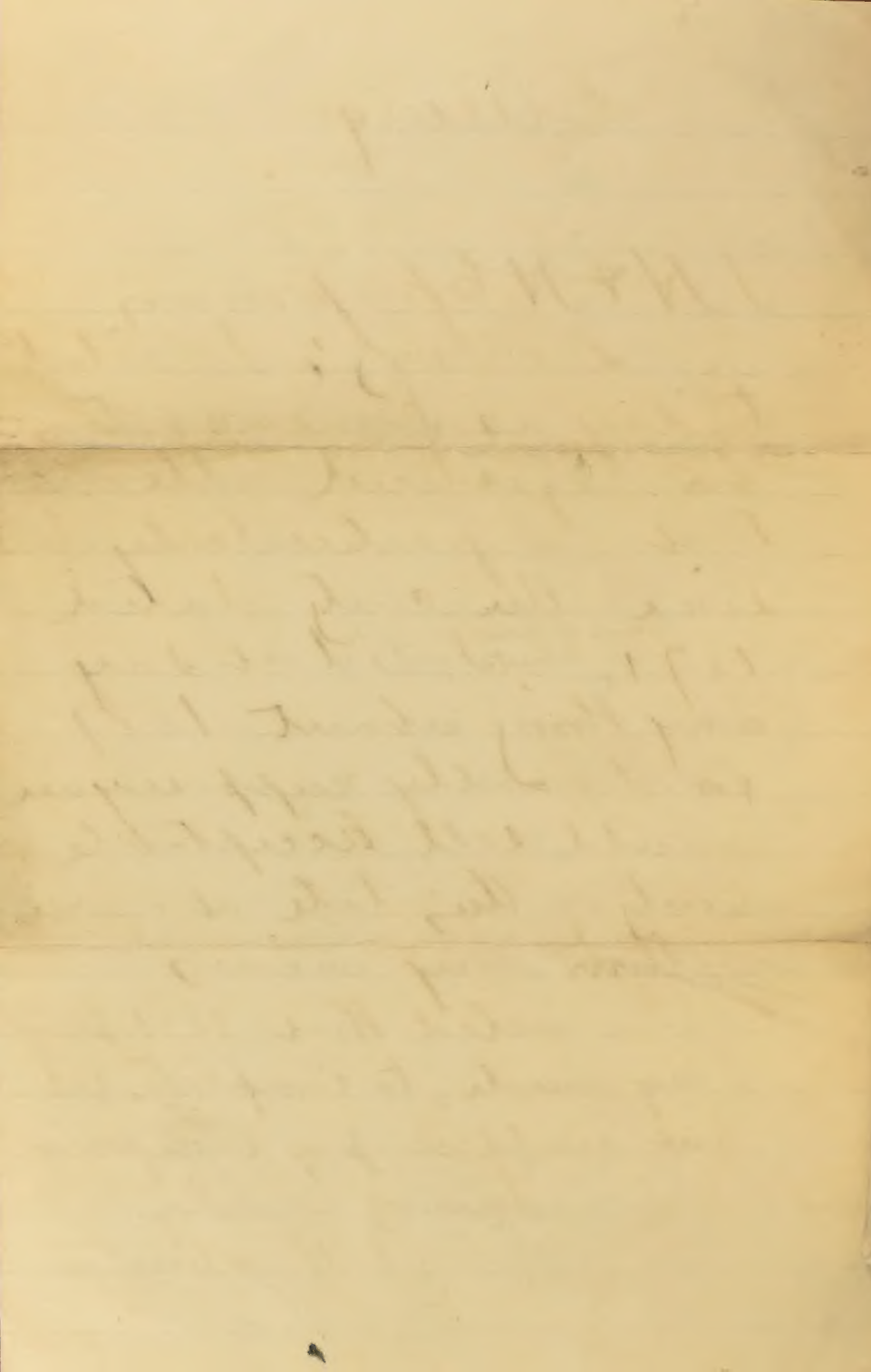
J H & H Chapman

Dr Sir: I failed  
to say as I meant to  
in registered letter  
that I particularly de-  
sire the centy dated  
1871 <sup>some of them I</sup> <sup>at least</sup> I did not say  
any thing about 1877  
for I hardly suppose you  
would sell acceptable  
centy of this date at a price  
within my views

I wanted that 1871 proof  
very much, to complete set  
but couldn't pay such price

Yours Truly

J B Johnston



Johnston &  
no Cash

16.90

Retus

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any

8/27/04 Sent 8/23/903

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no money enclosed



63232

from J B Johnston  
No 1 State St  
Chicago



REGISTERED  
AUG 20 1884  
Masonic Temple  
CHICAGO, ILL

J H & W Chapman  
Philadelphia  
Pa

1348 Pine St

Johnston, J.B.

August 29, 1904

Chicago Aug 29/04

J N + N Chapman

Dr Sirs: I enclose  
check for recent purchase  
8/23 7.25  
previous 3.30  
\$ 10.55

More being wanted?

Not at present, you may  
bear in mind however that  
(to complete set) I need 5 pcs  
Ea 1871 + 1877 U.S. Uncir cent,  
for which I am willing to pay  
35 and 75<sup>c</sup> respectively -

cant get them? Perhaps  
not - I mean to try however.

In inclosed envelope is 5<sup>c</sup>  
in stamps - please take it and  
mail me a nice bright 1892  
cent  
Yours Truly  
(-1 State St) L B Johnston



Johnson G.B.

10.60

Edw

ack

8/31/04

Dr

83



22  
22  
16



J H & W Chapman  
Philadelphia  
1348 Pine St Pa



Johnston, J.B.

September 21, 1904

September 26, 1904

Chicago Sept 21/04

J H & H Chapman

Dr Sirs; I inclose  
herewith the two half dollars  
1796 and 1797, both fifteen star  
variety - They belong to me  
but they are quite too costly  
for my collection and I offer  
them to you for \$125<sup>00</sup> the pair

I shall be glad to hear that  
you can use them - I have  
not offered them elsewhere  
(nor at any other price of course)

Yours Truly  
J B Johnston  
No 9 State St



Chicago Sept 26/04

J H A Chapman

Dr Sirs: I have your  
letter of 24<sup>th</sup> inst -

I will take \$75<sup>00</sup> and  
one cent, for the 1796 Half  
Dollar, but the cent must  
be that 1877 proof, for which  
you asked \$1.50 ~~or~~ <sup>for</sup> one equally  
good - failing that, \$76.50

Return the 1797 by reg  
istered mail

Yours Truly  
J B Johnston  
No 9 State St

Chicago Sept 1891

My dear Mr. Chapman

I have just received

your letter of the 12th

and am glad to hear

that you are well

and hope you are

able to do some

good work

Yours truly

Wm. Brewster

Chicago

Sept 1891

P.S. I have just

received your letter

of the 12th



J B Johnston

Ans

4/4/99





from J B Johnston  
N<sup>o</sup> 1 State St  
Chicago Ill



REGISTERED  
SEP 21 1904

Masonic Temple Sta.,  
CHICAGO, ILL

566/2  
J H & H Chapman  
Philadelphia

1348 Pine St

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Johnston, J.B.

November 9, 1904

Chicago Nov 9-04

J H H Chapman

Dr Sirs: Is this  
cent worth \$ 750 to you?  
That's the price -

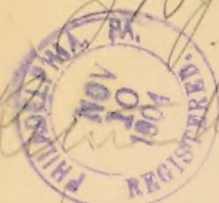
I inclose postage for return  
in case you should not want  
it - This cent is said to be  
from the Parmelee sale  
1858 Small Eagle - Proof  
Rev, Oak underneath No Shield

Yours Truly  
J B Johnston  
No 1 State St



J. B. Johnson

.10



Am. Corn

11/11/04

From J B Johnston  
Chicago. Ill  
No 1 State St

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Marion Temple Sta.,  
CHICAGO, ILL



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J. N. & W. Chapman  
Philadelphia  
Pa

1348 Pine St



Johnston, J.B.

November 16, 1904

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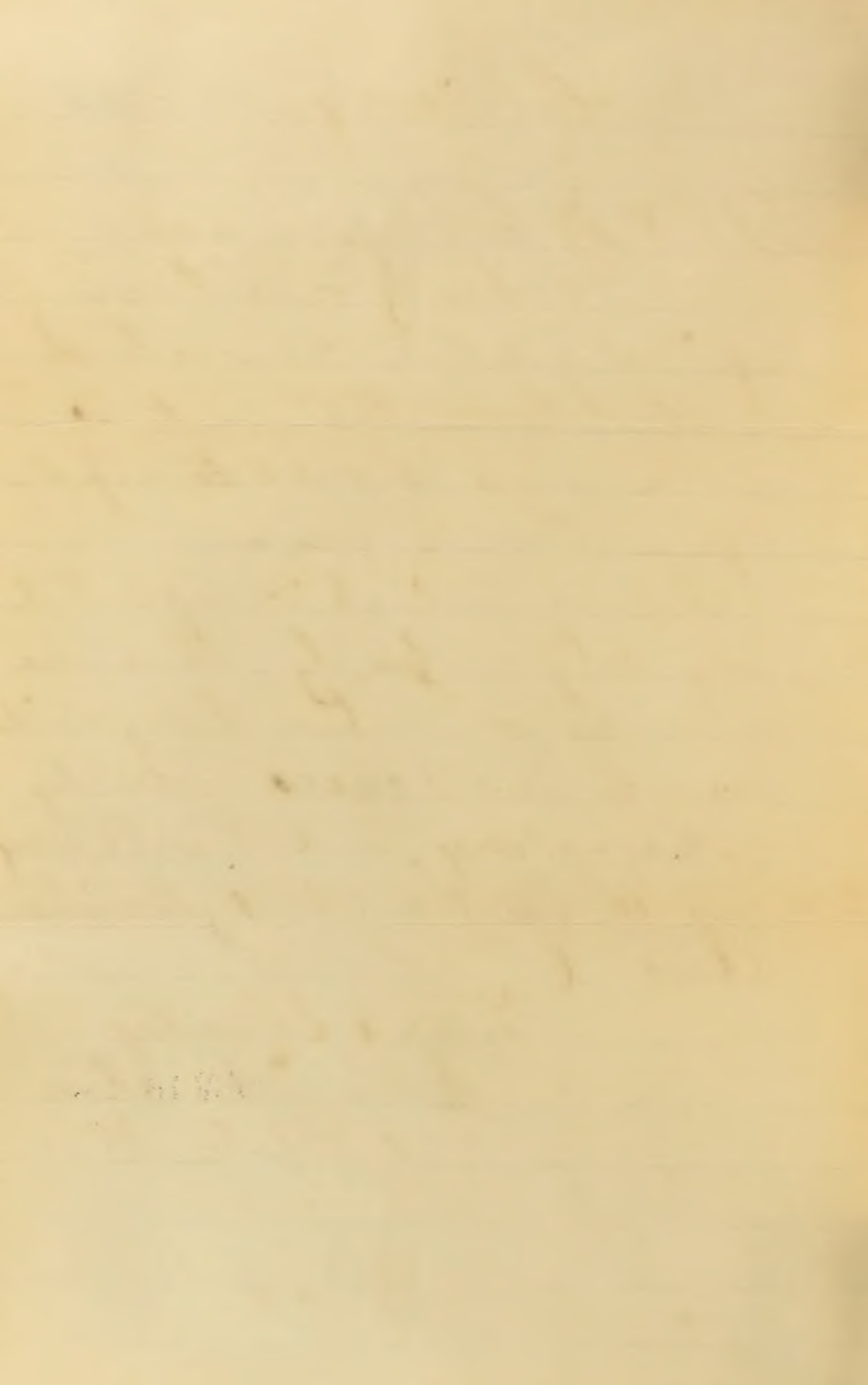
J H & H Chapman

Dr Sirs: The "toning  
up" I got in connection  
with that 1838 bent is  
worth what it cost to import-  
age - Thank you -

I have indeed completed  
my set of bent. There are  
however one or two dates which  
are not in all cases entirely  
satisfactory, and I will buy  
say 4 Ea 1866 + 1871 - Bright  
Unc @ 25 and 35¢ ea respectively

Yours Truly

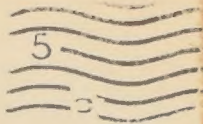
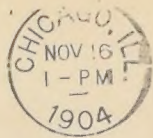
J B Johnston  
No 1 State St



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J H & W Chapman  
Philadelphia  
Pa

1348 Pine St



Johnston, J. B.

December 14, 1904

Chicago

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Messrs. S. H. &amp; N. Chapman,

1348 PINE STREET, PHILADELPHIA.

Please execute the following bids at a sale to be held  
in Phila on the 16<sup>th</sup> inst

The bids are at so much each piece.

Priced Catalogues are cash with order.

NO.	BID	REMARKS	NO.	BID	REMARKS
19	1.00				
9	80		179	2.00	
15	6.00		613	60	
20	3.75		614	60	
24	2.25 ✓		616	75	
44	60		619	2.00	
57	50	if filter not otherwise			
96	80		619 }	2.00	
100	35		619 }	2.00	
101	25 ✓		619 }	2.00	
103	25 ✓				
<del>106</del>					
107	15				
215	3.00				
262	1.25				
319	75				
335	2.00				
343	1.50				
350	0.6 ✓				
468	80				
469	80				
491	35 ✓				
584	35 ✓				

Yours Respectfully, J B Johnston  
No 1 State St



J B Johnston  
Bids Sale <sup>12</sup>/<sub>16</sub>

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12/17/07  
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J H & N C Chapman  
Philadelphia  
Pa  
1348 Pine St



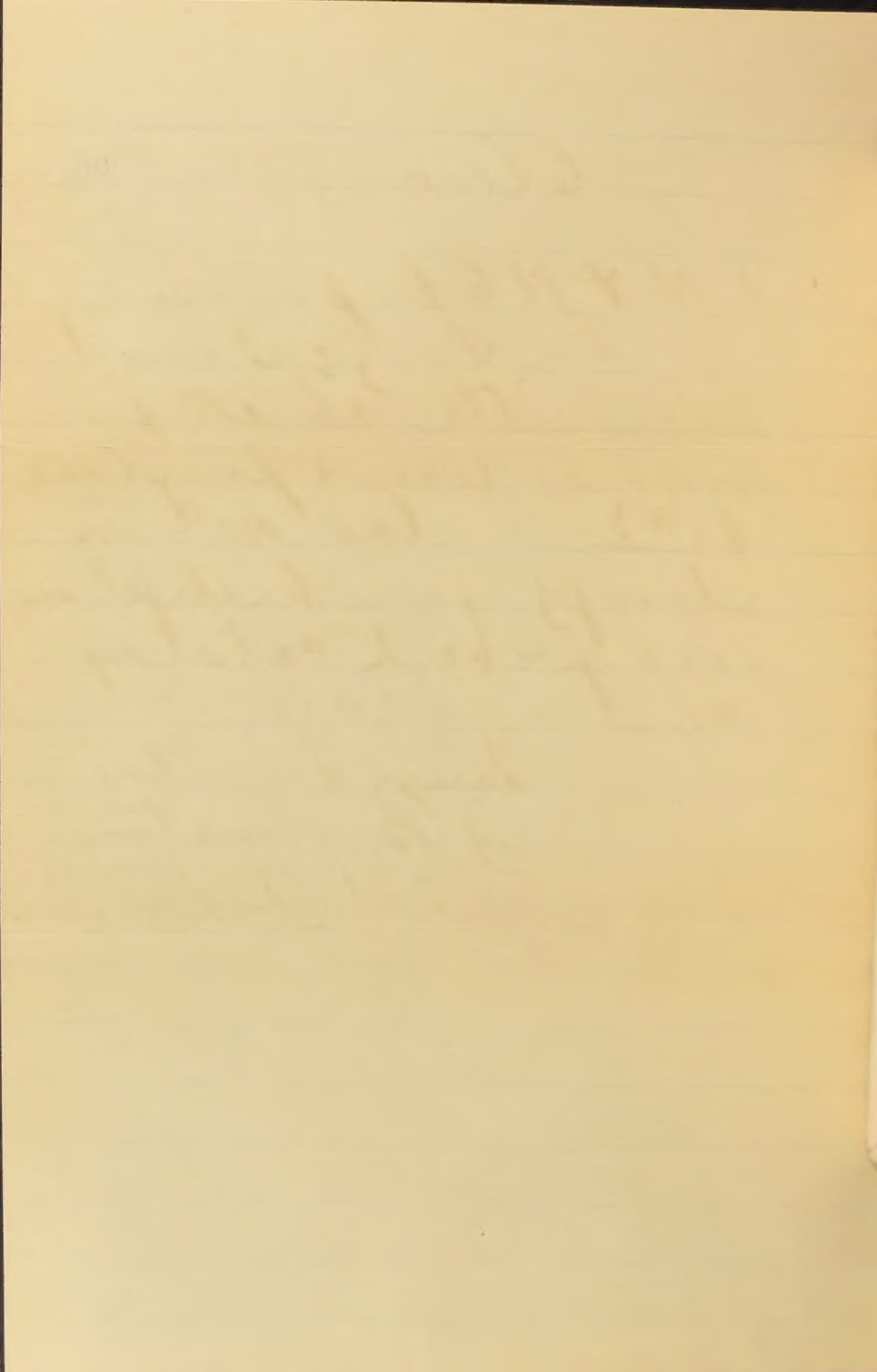
Johnston, J.B.

December 24, 1904

Chicago DEC 24 1904

J H & H Chapman  
Dr Sir: I send  
herewith check for  
amt of recent purchase  
\$643 also 40¢ in  
stamps for which please  
send prepaid catalog  
of sales Dec 16

Yours Truly  
J B Johnston  
No 1 State St



Gr Hunter JB

6.43. cash

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~ 6.83

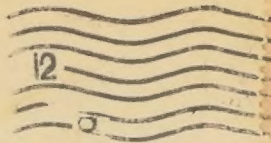
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12/26/94  
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L N & N Chapman  
Philadelphia  
1348 Pine St Pa